# **Governors State University**

## ADDS 500 - Substance Abuse: Current Concepts (GSU)

Examines physiological, psychological, and sociological aspects of drug abuse and includes historical and contemporary patterns. Examines past and present drug abuse treatment modalities and analyzes factors and institutions at the local, state, and national level that affect the delivery of substance abuse services. Includes legal and ethical issues in drug abuse. *Prerequisite*: 60 hours of college credit.

(3 SH UL Elective)

# **COMS 534 – Family Communication (GSU)**

Examines the ways in which family members communicate, make decisions, settle conflict, and learn to relate to one another. This course is especially relevant because of the profound changes that are currently affecting the family unit. More children are born to single parents, more families have both partners working, more couples are commuting, more couples are divorcing, and more stepfamilies are being formed than ever before. (3 SH UL Social Science)

### ENGL 30B – Living Literature: The Classics and You (GSU)

This is an introduction to a selection of the "classics" of the Western Literary Tradition. Beginning with Genesis, students will read and discuss Homer, Sophocles, Virgil, Dante, Shakespeare, Moliere, Milton, Voltaire, Goethe, Flaubert, Dostoevsky, Tolstoy, and Kafka. The orientation of the course is the relevance of these texts to our lives. (3 SH LL Humanities)

#### ENGL 420 – Modern American Poetry: Voices and Visions (GSU)

This is an introductory literature course emphasizing relationships of the poets, their influence on each other and on those who followed them, and their place in American literature. Compares and contrasts the American vernacular voice with modern European idiom, the democratic image of society with the poet as a privileged visionary, and the poetry of social conscience with a poetry of metaphysical rumination. (3 SH UL Humanities)

## MGMT 301 Introduction to Management Strategies (GSU)

Introduces classical management, behavioral, and management science. Reviews the fundamental functions of management emphasizing the interrelationships among planning, organizing, directing, and controlling. Both the impact of organizations upon participants and the impact of participants upon organizations are studied. Examines systems approach to solving operational problems. (3 SH LL Elective)

#### **SOSC 32A Dealing with Diversity (GSU)**

A course designed to help students recognize and appreciate the differences and similarities between diverse groups and individuals in our multicultural society, such as those distinguished by race. (3 SH LL Social Science)